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C O N F I D E N T I A L TEL AVIV 1646

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: IS, EG, JO, PFOR
SUBJECT: MFA DOUBTS THAT MAYOR SHAWWA WOULD ACCEPT EGYPTIAN
INVITATION

REF: TEL AVIV 1515

1. THE MFA'S REPRESENTATIVE TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE TERRITORIES (GONNEN) TOLD EMBOFF MARCH 7 THAT THE ISRAELIS ALSO WERE AWARE OF THE STORY THAT MAYOR SHAWWA MAY BE INVITED BY PRESIDENT SADAT TO VISIT EGYPT. GONNEN HAD HEARD THIS STORY THROUGH THE IDF COMMANDER IN THE GAZA STRIP.

2. GONNEN DOUBTED WHETHER MAYOR SHAWWA WOULD ACCEPT SUCH AN INVITATION IN THE EVENT THAT IT IS OFFERED. TO DO SO WOULD RUN AGAINST THE MAYOR'S RECENT PATTERN OF REINFORCE-
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MENT OF HIS TIES WITH KING HUSSEIN.

3. GONNEN ALSO BELIEVED THAT IT WAS THE OPINION OF THE MILITARY GOVERNMENT OFFICERS IN THE STRIP THAT MAYOR SHAWWA COULD PROBABLY WIN A GAZA ELECTION UNDER PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES. "WHAT CIRCUMSTANCES MIGHT BE LIKE IN FIVE OR SIX MONTHS, NO ONE CAN

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TELL," HE ADDED.

4. COMMENT: IT IS APPARENT THAT THE SHAWWAS HAVE NOT MADE ANY ATTEMPT TO KEEP THE STORY OF SADAT'S INVITATION FROM THE MILITARY GOVERNMENT.
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